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For: **SPIN-VALVE HEAD CONTAINING CLOSED-FLUX-STRUCTURE
DOMAIN CONTROL FILMS**
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

Attn: **Mail Stop AF**
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June 29, 2004

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action (Paper No. 6) dated on March 29, 2004,
please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 15 of this paper.

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